VINYL PURCHASE CHECKLIST

SUNDECKS | ROOF DECKS | BALCONIES | PATIOS | STAIRS | POOL DECKS | WALKWAYS

Duradek has been in the deck and balcony waterproofing industry since 1974. We pioneered the use of vinyl membranes as an outdoor walking surface and were the first to have approved single ply "walk on" roof membrane.

Remember, Not all Vinyl is created Equal!

Check the following to ensure you are getting the ORIGINAL Duradek Vinyl Membrane:	duradek	Others
Ask the Obvious - "Will you be installing Duradek?"	✓	
Is it being installed by a Duradek Authorized Applicator?	✓	
(They will be listed on our website at duradek.com/find-a-dealer)	✓	
Does it have Duradek written on the back of the vinyl membrane?	✓	
Does the Ultra 60 mil Product have a 10 year warranty?	✓	
Does the vinyl have UV and Mildew Inhibitors?	✓	

Compare Duradek to other vinyl. For your own Protection, ask the following:		
How long has the VINYL MANUFACTURER been in Business?	Since 1974	
Are they financially sound? Can they weather a crisis?	✓	
Are they in good standing with the Better Business Bureau?	✓	
Have they been around long enough to go through a warranty cycle?	✓	
Do they perform continuous R&D to keep up with new building products and regulations?	✓	
Do they do ongoing testing for weathering / long-term UV exposure effects?	✓	
Do they offer a written manufacturer's warranty?	✓	
For the System? *FOR APPEARANCE?* For Waterproofing?	✓✓	
Is the vinyl an Approved Roofing Membrane?	✓	
Is the vinyl also Approved as a *Pedestrian Traffic* Roofing Membrane?	✓	
Do they have an Independent Quality Control program?	✓	
Are all their products compatible?	✓	
Are vinyl, glue, caulk and trim all part of the complete system?	✓	
How long has the VINYL APPLICATOR/CONTRACTOR been in the decking business?		
Have they been trained by the manufacturer?		
For proper Vinyl Installation? Building Code Requirements? Waterproofing Practices?		
Are they in good standing with the Better Business Bureau?		
Do they have Liability Insurance & Workers Compensation?		
Have you checked their references?		
Have you checked some of their recent jobs?		
Are they prompt and reliable?		
Did they present a thorough written estimate?		
Do they offer a separate Workmanship warranty?		

Installation Issues to Discuss		
The direction and placement of the seams.		
Do they install with a proper cap weld (in addition to the 1st weld) to ensure proper waterproofing?		
Is the slope adequate to handle puddles?		
The quality and finish of the substrate.		
How is the clearance (upturn) at the doors?		
How will the water be carried away? Drains, scuppers, overflows, gutters etc.		
How will the membrane tie into the building?		
How will the perimeter edges be finished?		
How will the railings be attached, to ensure the waterproofing stays intact?		
Finally - When comparing Pricing, ensure you compare "Apples to Apples".		

Duradek, When it Comes to Waterproofing Decks, We've Got You Covered!